

U.S. Department of Energy National Energy Technology Laboratory

Presents the
West Virginia

Science Bowl 2003

February 1, 2003

Morgantown, West Virginia

The High School Science Bowl is a tournament-style competition on academic science matters between high school teams. The preliminary rounds of this competition use a Round-Robin format among 16 teams to select four teams to compete in a final Double Elimination format for the West Virginia Championship. The competition consists of toss-up and bonus questions. Competition consists of oral question and answer rounds in which four-person teams will attempt to outscore competing teams. Questions will be taken from the fields of Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science, General Science Physics, and Mathematics. A hands on competition will be conducted for teams not playing in the double elimination finals.

AWARDS: First, second, third, and fourth place teams will receive medallions and other prizes. A traveling trophy and a banner will be awarded to the winning school. The winning team will receive an expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C., where they will compete in the Department of Energy's National Science Bowl®, to be held May 1-5, 2003.

ELIGIBILITY: The competition is open to all high school students in West Virginia. Competitions are held in each Regional Education Service Area to select the top two teams which will be eligible to compete in the state finals in Morgantown. Teams competing in 2003 include:

Bluefield
Cabell Midland
Fairmont Senior
George Washington
Hedgesville
Herbert Hoover
Moorefield
Morgantown

Mt. Hope
Pocahontas County
Ripley
Ritchie County
Spring Valley
Weir
Wheeling Park
Woodrow Wilson